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Attorney Docket No.		P-4425.003
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Title	A Method of Using a Regional Input-Output Model as a Template for a Regional Metropolitan Industry-to-Industry Internet Electronic Commerce Web Site to Continuously Update Technical Coefficients in a Regional Econometric Input-Output Model	
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 - Cross References to Related Applications
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 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
- Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 3]
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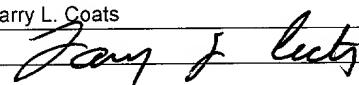
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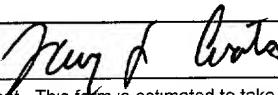
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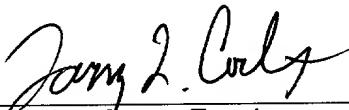
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